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1. AMBASSADOR HEITMANN AND MIN/COUNSELOR GUZMAN CALLED MAY 8 ON DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY SHLAUDEMAN TO SEEK OUR VIEWS WITH RESPECT TO CONSULTATIONS ON THE PROPOSED CUBAN ATTENDANCE AT THE NEXT MFM. HEITMANN SAID HE WAS ACTING UNDER "URGENT" INSTRUCTIONS FROM SANTIAGO WHICH HAD BEEN RELAYED IN ANTICIPATION THAT THE SUBJECT WOULD ARISE DURING PINOCHET'S FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH PERON.

2. SHLAUDEMAN EMPHASIZED THAT THERE HAD BEEN NO CHANGE IN U.S. CUBAN POLICY AND NOTED OUR WELL KNOWN POSITION THAT WE WOULD NOT FAVOR AN INVITATION TO CUBA UNDER EXISTING CIRCUMSTANCES. HE SAID HE WOULD CHECK FURTHER WITH REGARD TO THE QUESTION OF CONSULTATIONS.

3. SHLAUDEMAN LATER INFORMED HEITMANN AND (SEPARATELY IN RESPONSE TO HIS CALL) GUZMAN THAT USG DOES NOT BELIEVE IT APPROPRIATE OR USEFUL TO ENTER INTO CONSULTATIONS IN ANY FORMAL FASHION ON THIS ISSUE AT THIS TIME. THE ARGENTINE FOREIGN MINISTER WILL PRESUMABLY INITIATE THAT PROCESS AT SOME POINT. SHLAUDEMAN ASSURED BOTH CHILEANS THAT
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WHEN HE DOES THE USG WILL CONSULT WITH THE GOC, AS WITH

THE OTHER NATIONS OF THE HEMISPHERE. SHLAUDEMANN REITERATED THE FACT THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN OUR VIEWS OF THE CUBAN PROBLEM.

4. GUZMAN INDICATED THAT THE GOC MAY BE PLANNING AN IMMEDIATE AND ACTIVE CAMPAIGN AGAINST ANY INVITATION TO CUBA. SHLAUDEMANN SAID IT SEEMS BEST TO US TO LEAVE THE MATTER ALONE FOR THE TIME BEING. RUSH

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